



THE GRANADILLA, *PASSIFLORA QUADRANGULARIS* L., IN HAWAII (S. P. I. No. 40552).

One of the tropical passifloras as it appears in Hawaii. It is related to the maypop, which grows like a weed on the dry, thin soils of our Southern States, and hybrids between these two species ought to be attempted. This vine is climbing to a considerable height over a tree of the kukui (*Aleurites moluccana* Willd.) in a ravine at Robinson Station. The fruits weigh from 4 to 6 pounds each and the pulp is of delicious flavor. The thick, fleshy rind of this specimen was more or less infested with what was said to be the melon fly, a relative of the Mediterranean fruit fly. (Photographed by Mr. R. A. Young, Aug. 14, 1913; P11877FS.)